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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed September 23, 2005, which response is being made on or before October 23, 2005, and for which no extension fees are due.

REMARKS

The Examiner has required restriction to one of inventions: I and II.

Applicant hereby elects Group I (claims 1-40) without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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